

**THE ODISHA STATE COMMISSION FOR BACKWARD CLASSES  
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**NOTIFICATION**

The 30th October, 2023

No.17589—I-Legis-09/2023/L.—The following Act of the Odisha Legislative Assembly having been assented to by the Governor on the 25th October, 2023 is hereby published for general information.

**ODISHA ACT 9 OF 2023**

**THE ODISHA STATE COMMISSION FOR BACKWARD CLASSES  
(AMENDMENT) ACT, 2023**

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**ACT**

**FURTHER TO AMEND THE ODISHA STATE COMMISSION FOR  
BACKWARD CLASSES ACT, 1993**

BE it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Odisha in the Seventy-fourth Year of the Republic of India, as follows:—

Short title &  
commencement.

**1. (1) This Act may be called the Odisha State Commission for Backward Classes (Amendment) Act, 2023.**

(2) It shall be deemed to have come into force on the first day of May, 2023.

Amendment of  
Section 9.

**2.** In Section 9 of the Odisha State Commission for Backward Classes Act, 1993, after sub-section (2), the following sub-section shall be inserted, namely:—

Odisha Act  
16 of 1993.

“(3) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), the State Government, may, by notification, include such backward classes in the List, if the said backward classes have been specified in the Central list in relation to the State of Odisha”.

Repeal and  
saving

**3. (1)** The Odisha State Commission for Backward Classes (Amendment) Ordinance, 2023 is hereby repealed.

Odisha  
Ordinance  
No.01  
of 2023

(2) Notwithstanding the repeal under sub-section (1) , anything done or any action taken under the said Ordinance so repealed shall be deemed to have been done or taken under this Act.

By Order of the Governor  
MANAS RANJAN BARIK  
Principal Secretary to Government